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**COUNCIL LEADERSHIP ANNOUNCES THREE NEW
TEACH FOR AMERICA FELLOWS**

Indianapolis – Today, City-County Council leadership announced its selection of three new Fellows, Jake Resetarits, Khristopher Johnson-Deloatch and Brian Dickey. The Fellows were hired under the Indianapolis Policy Advocacy & Organizing Summer Fellowship program, which connects Teach For America Corps Members and Alumni with high impact policy and advocacy positions. All Fellows will work under the general direction of Council Chief Financial Officer Bart Brown on various policy issues affecting Indianapolis.

The Council will be partnering with Teach For America for the next six weeks to expose Fellows to policy research and analysis, community development and advocacy, and local government decision making processes. The Fellows will be working on meaningful projects that will help drive positive social change in the communities and neighborhoods around Indianapolis. Brief bios on each Fellow can be found below.

Jake Resetarits is originally from Connecticut. Following his graduation from Boston University in 2011, he taught 5th grade science for two years at Mission Academy in San Antonio, Texas. He is currently pursuing a Master of Public Affairs at the Indiana University School of Public and Environmental Affairs in Bloomington.

Khristopher W. Johnson-Deloatch is originally from Richmond, Va. He graduated last summer in 2013 from The Ohio State University with a Bachelor's Degree in Economics. He is now a Teach For America Corps Member, where he works at Tindley Collegiate Academy in the Meadows teaching 8th grade Algebra.

Brian Dickey is a 2013 Teach For America Indianapolis Corps Member who currently teaches Middle School Social Studies at Fall Creek Academy. He graduated from Virginia Tech in 2013 with a Bachelor's Degree in Business and is originally from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

"We are excited to have a group of young, talented individuals join the Council staff for the summer," stated Council President Maggie A. Lewis. "With their teaching backgrounds, Jake, Khris and Brian bring a unique and fresh perspective to the table which we hope to leverage to address some complex policy issues in Indianapolis."

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